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Harold Davis H.E. Davis & Sons 525 West Arrowhead Trail P.O. Box 488 Spanish Fork, Utah 84660

Re: Notice of File Closure for Small Mining Activities, Buffer #1-4, S/027/044, Millard County, Utah

Dear Mr. Davis:

This letter is to notify you that file #S/027/044, for the Buffer #1-4 project, located in Sections 3, 10 and 11, T24S, R9W, Millard County, Utah, will be retired from our files.

On February 14, 2000, we received notification from the BLM that they inspected the site in August 1998, and determined that the disturbance related to the mining notice submitted to them in 1993 was not located on public lands. Therefore, the BLM closed your case file for this project. In conversations with you and Byron Ray, it has been determined that the mining related disturbance in the vicinity of this site was not created by you. This project is immediately adjacent to the old Cudahy Mine, and the disturbance may have been associated with that project, or may have been pre-law.

As your notice stated this project was located on BLM managed lands; and as the BLM has closed the file for this project, the Division will also close our file for this project. You are hereby released from any further mining or reclamation responsibility at this site. You will not have to pay the \$100.00 permit fee that was recently sent to you. If you wish to restart any mining in this area, you will have to submit a new notice to the appropriate agency, pay the Division permit fees, and receive written approval(s) prior to creating any disturbance.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this action, please contact me at (801) 538-5321.

Sincerely,

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